GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4748
ANSWERED ON:18.04.2001
DASS GRADE- I
HANNAN MOLLAH

Will the Minister of PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS be pleased to state:

(a): whether the Fast Track Committee of Secretaries recommended that the recommendations of 5th Central Pay Commission for upgrading the scale of Grade-I of DASS need not be accepted and only the replacement scale for Rs. 1640-2900 (pre-revised) (revised 5500-9000) be given to them;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether inspite of above recommendation the DASS Grade-I has been allowed to draw the scale of Rs.6500-10,500/-;and

(d) if so, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE OF DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL AND TRAINING AND DEPARTMENT OF PENSIONS AND PENSIONERS WELFARE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SMT. VASUNDHARA RAJE)

(a),(b),(c) & (d) : A Statement is placed on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT IN REPLY TO PARTS (a),(b),(c) and (d) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4748 FOR 18.04.2001 BY SHRI HANNAN MOLLAH, MP LOK SABHA.

(a),(b),(c)&(d):Based on the recommendations of the Government of National Capital Territory of Delhi, Central Governmenthad already approved the revision of pay scales of Grade-I of DASS from Rs.1640-2900 to Rs. 2000- 3200 w.e.f. issue of the Order dated 19th March, 1996. The revision of pay scale was subject to the condition that expenditure involved will be met out of the budget grant of the Government of NCT of Delhi and no assistance would be provided by the Central Government for meeting the expenditure on account of revision of pay scale of Grade -I of DASS.As such Grade-I of DASS were given the scale of Rs. 2000-3200 (pre-revised) (Rs. 6500-10,500 revised) much before submission of the Report by the 5th Central Pay Commission on 30th January,1997.

As regards the Fast Track Committee recommendations are concerned, the pay scales of Grade-I of DASS was not included in one of the terms of refernce. However as is expected of any expert body looking into the pay scales related matters, the Fast Track Committee while looking into the demand of DANICS and DANIPS to accept the recommendation of 5th Central Pay Commission which was one of the terms of reference) also looked into the horizontal and vertical relativity of various posts of NCT of Delhi in DANICS and DANIPS Cadre and their feeder grades and recommended replacement scale of Rs. 1640-2900 (pre-revised) (revised Rs. 5500-9000). As scale of Rs. 2000-3200 had already been given w.e.f. 19th March, 1996, its replacement scale of Rs. 6500-10500 has been given to Grade I DASS.